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| S1       | 2    | ("6642597").PN.   | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>USOCR;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB | OR                  | OFF     | 2004/09/09 08:50 |
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| S3       | 2    | ("6313537"   "6313540").PN. OR<br>("6642597").URPN.   | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>USOCR                                      | OR                  | ON      | 2004/11/19 16:44 |
| S4       | 8    | ("5736791"   "5739587"  <br>"5923088"   "6100589"  <br>"6181016").PN. OR ("6313540").<br>URPN.                            | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>USOCR                                      | OR                  | ON      | 2004/11/19 12:03 |
| S5       | 2    | ("6198170").PN.   | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB           | OR                  | OFF     | 2004/11/19 11:03 |
| S6       | 4660 | (438/612-614).CCLS.   | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB           | OR                  | OFF     | 2004/11/19 13:33 |
| S7       | 6074 | (438/612-614,687,for.358).CCLS.   | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB           | OR                  | OFF     | 2004/11/19 17:15 |
| S8       | 1476 | (438/687,for.358).CCLS.   | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB           | OR                  | OFF     | 2004/11/19 12:05 |
| S9       | 62   | S6 and S8   | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB           | OR                  | ON      | 2004/11/19 16:00 |
| S10      | 20   | ("4811081"   "5001542"  <br>"5407864"   "5736791"  <br>"5886409"   "6064120"  <br>"6108212").PN. OR ("6198170").<br>URPN. | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>USOCR                                      | OR                  | ON      | 2004/11/19 12:08 |

| S11 | 22   | ("5502337"   "5622590"   "5641996"   "5700735"   "5736791"   "5739587"   "5939790"   "5948533"   "5986343"   "6020220"   "6078088"   "6100589"   "6108210"   "6198170"   "6207550"   "6218736"   "6232650"   "6238599"   "6239386"   "6313540"   "6362531"   "6365970").PN. OR ("6740985").URPN. | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>USOCR                            | OR | ON    | 2004/11/19 12:20 |
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| S12 | 21   | S11 not S10  | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>USOCR                            | OR | ON    | 2004/11/19 12:20 |
| S13 | 1959 | (438/614).CCLS.  | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB | OR | OFF   | 2004/11/19 13:34 |
| S14 | 0    | ("1and(cucopper)").PN.   | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB | OR | OFF   | 2004/11/19 13:34 |
| S15 | 686  | S13 and (cu copper)  | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB | OR | ON    | 2004/11/19 13:50 |
| S16 | 1959 | (438/614).CCLS:  | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB | OR | OFF - | 2004/11/19 13:50 |
| S17 | 686  | S16 and (cu copper)  | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB | OR | ON    | 2004/11/19 13:50 |
| S18 | 121  | S17 and (cu copper metal) with (support line trench)   | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB | OR | ON    | 2004/11/19 15:01 |
| S19 | 1    | ("0674695").PN.  | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB | OR | OFF   | 2004/11/19 13:58 |

| <b>S20</b> | 2    | ("6746951").PN.  | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB | OR | OFF | 2004/11/19 13:58 |
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| S21        | 1    | ("6255586").PN. OR ("6746951").<br>URPN.   | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>USOCR                            | OR | ON  | 2004/11/19 13:58 |
| S22        | 8    | ("5736791"   "5739587"  <br>"5923088"   "6100589"  <br>"6181016").PN. OR ("6313540").<br>URPN.   | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>USOCR                            | OR | ON  | 2004/11/19 14:08 |
| S23        | 39   | ("5149674"   "5248903"  <br>"5291062"   "5367435"  <br>"5475236").PN. OR ("5736791").<br>URPN.   | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>USOCR                            | OR | ON  | 2004/11/19 14:06 |
| S24        | 39   | S23 not (S20 S21 S20 S19)  | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>USOCR                            | OR | ON  | 2004/11/19 14:08 |
| S25        | 784  | (form\$3 deposit\$3) near3<br>(dielectric insulat\$3 ild) near4 over<br>near4 (support line trench) and<br>(cu copper metal) with (support<br>line trench) and pad | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB | OR | ON  | 2004/11/19 16:00 |
| S26        | 653  | S25 and ("438"/\$6 "257"/\$6)  | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB | OR | ON  | 2004/11/19 15:06 |
| S27        | 6074 | (438/612-614,687,for:358).CCLS.  | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB | OR | OFF | 2004/11/19 15:04 |
| S28        | 41   | S27 and S26  | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB | OR | ON  | 2004/11/19 15:04 |
| S29        | 464  | S26 and pad with layer\$3  | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB | OR | ON  | 2004/11/19 15:06 |
| S30        | 340  | (438/619).CCLS.  | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB | OR | OFF | 2004/11/19 16:00 |

| <b>\$31</b> | 286   | (support line trench) and S30   | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB | OR | ON  | 2004/11/19 16:00 |
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| S32         | 56    | (support line trench) with (cu<br>copper) and S30   | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB | OR | ON  | 2004/11/19 16:01 |
| S33         | 2     | ("5565707").PN.   | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB | OR | OFF | 2004/11/19 16:44 |
| S34         | 42    | ("4307179"   "4335506"  <br>"4884123"   "5010039"  <br>"5071714"   "5110759"  <br>"5130274"   "5171642"  <br>"5243221"   "5300307"  <br>"5455195").PN. OR ("5565707").<br>URPN. | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>USOCR                            | OR | ON  | 2004/11/19 16:48 |
| S35         | 14627 | etch\$5 with (edge side sidewall) with expos\$3   | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>USOCR                            | OR | ON  | 2004/11/19 16:49 |
| S36         | 1109  | etch\$5 with (edge side sidewall)<br>with expos\$3 with (line)  | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>USOCR                            | OR | ON  | 2004/11/19 16:49 |
| S37         | 2619  | etch\$5 with (edge side sidewall)<br>with expos\$3 with (line trench)   | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>USOCR                            | OR | ON  | 2004/11/19 16:52 |
| S38         | 2290  | etch\$5 with (edge side sidewall)<br>with expos\$3 with (line trench)<br>and ("438"/\$6 "257"/\$6)  | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>USOCR                            | OR | ON  | 2004/11/19 17:04 |
| S39         | 309   | etch\$5 near4 (edge side sidewall)<br>near4 expos\$3 near4 (line trench)<br>and ("438"/\$6 "257"/\$6)   | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>USOCR                            | OR | ON  | 2004/11/19 17:03 |
| S40         | 38    | etch\$5 with (edge side sidewall)<br>with expos\$3 with (line trench)<br>with overlap\$4 and ("438"/\$6<br>"257"/\$6)   | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>USOCR                            | OR | ON  | 2004/11/19:17:14 |
| S41         | 2058  | barrier with seed with (cu copper)  | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>USOCR                            | OR | ON  | 2004/11/19 17:14 |
| S42         | 1473  | S41 and damascene   | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>USOCR                            | OR | ON  | 2004/11/19 17:15 |

| S#3 | 6074 | (438/612-614,687,for.358).CCLS. | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB | OR   | OFF | 2004/11/19 17:15 |
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| S44 | 6074 | S43                             | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB | OR   | ON  | 2004/11/19 17:15 |
| S45 | 356  | S42 and S43                     | US-PGPUB;<br>USPAT;<br>EPO; JPO;<br>DERWENT;<br>IBM_TDB | OR . | ON  | 2004/11/19 17:15 |